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General Assembly

Seventy-second session

Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations

10:00 to 13:00 256th meeting [webcast] Conference Room 1

General debate

(A/AC.121/2018/L.1, A/AC.121/2018/L.2, A/72/573, A/72/573/Add.1, A/AC.121/2018/INF/1 and A/AC.121/2018/INF/2)

The list of speakers for the general debate is open.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

For inquiries regarding user names and passwords, kindly contact the DGACM Help-desk.

Delegations are reminded that, in accordance with the established practice, statements made by individual delegations shall not exceed 10 minutes, and statements made on behalf of a group of States shall not exceed 20 minutes.

Members and observers of the Special Committee who wish to be included in the list of participants should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

Information on the Special Committee will be available and accessible to Committee members and observers on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

Contacts: Ms. Sangeeta Sharma, Committee Secretary (sharma7@un.org), Mr. Henry Breed, Deputy Committee Secretary (breed@un.org); Mr. Dino Del Vasto (del-vasto@un.org), Ms. Lidija Komatina (for inquiries regarding the e-list of participants (komatina@un.org)), and Mr. Tomas Casas (for inquiries regarding the e-list of speakers (casast@un.org)), DGACM Help-desk (help-desk@un.org), statements to PaperSmart (papersmart4@un.org). Accessibility (prepwork@un.org, 212-963-7349).

Executive Board of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women
First session

10:00 to 13:00 — 2nd plenary meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 3

Opening of the session

Statements by the President of the Executive Board and the Under-Secretary-General/Executive Director

Organizational matters [item 1]

Adoption of the annotated provisional agenda and workplan for the first regular session of 2018

Adoption of the report on the second regular session of 2017

Briefing on UN-Women's follow-up to recommendations of the UNAIDS Programme Coordinating Board

(UNW/2018/L.1, UNW/2018/L.2 and UNW/2017/11)

15:00 to 18:00 — 3rd plenary meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 3

Briefing on innovation strategy for accelerating efforts towards gender equality and the empowerment of women

Briefing on the operational response of UN-Women at the country level: Haiti

Other matters [item 2]

Organizational matters [item 1]

Approval of the provisional agenda and workplan for the annual session of 2018

Adoption of the annual workplan for 2018

Closing of the session

Statements by the Under-Secretary-General/Executive Director and the President of the Executive Board

(UNW/2018/L.1, UNW/2018/L.2 and UNW/2017/11)

Advance copies of all documentation for the session are available on the Executive Board website (*click here*).

For further information, please contact the Executive Board of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (unwsecretaryoftheeb@unwomen.org).

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Seventy-second session

High-level Preparatory Group on a treaty banning the production of fissile material for nuclear weapons or other nuclear explosive devices

Thursday, 15 February 2018

10:00 to 13:00	Open-ended informal consultative meeting (closed)	Conference Room 2
15:00 to 18:00	Open-ended informal consultative meeting (closed)	Conference Room 2

Friday, 16 February 2018

10:00 to 13:00	Open-ended informal consultative meeting (closed)	Conference Room 2
15:00 to 18:00	Open-ended informal consultative meeting (closed)	Conference Room 2

Treaty banning the production of fissile material for nuclear weapons or other nuclear explosive devices

In accordance with resolution A/RES/71/259, an open-ended informal consultative meeting, organized by the Chair of the high-level fissile material cut-off treaty expert preparatory group will be held on a treaty banning the production of fissile material for nuclear weapons or other nuclear explosive devices.

This meeting has been convened in order for the Chair to provide a report in her own capacity on the work of the high-level FMCT expert preparatory group.

All interested non-governmental organizations are invited to attend.

Representatives of non-governmental organizations not in possession of a valid ground pass to the United Nations Headquarters in New York are requested to register with the Secretariat by Thursday, 8 February 2018.

For further information, please contact the United Nations Office for Disarmament Affairs.

Intergovernmental conference and its preparatory process to adopt a global compact for safe, orderly and regular migration

Tuesday, 20 February 2018

10:00 to 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Trusteeship Council Chamber
15:00 to 18:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Trusteeship Council Chamber

Informal consultations on the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration

A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 5 February 2018, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Wednesday, 21 February 2018

10:00 to 13:00	[webcast]	Trusteeship Council Chamber
15:00 to 18:00	[webcast]	Trusteeship Council Chamber

Preparatory process for the international conference to adopt a global compact for safe, orderly and regular migration (*click here*)

Fourth informal interactive multi-stakeholder hearing

A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 26 February 2018, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Thursday, 22 February 2018

10:00 to 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 4
15:00 to 18:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 4

Informal consultations on the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration

A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 5 February 2018, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Friday, 23 February 2018

10:00 to 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Economic and Social Council Chamber
15:00 to 18:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Economic and Social Council Chamber

Informal consultations on the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration

A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 5 February 2018, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

Wednesday, 14 and Thursday, 15 February 2018

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10

Executive meeting

Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization

Tuesday, 20 February 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Conference Room 3

The Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization will hold its 2018 session from 20 to 28 February 2018.

The provisional agenda for the session is available on the website of the Special Committee (A/AC.182/L.147).

Other relevant documents for the session will also be posted on the website.

The list of speakers for the general debate, to be held on 20 February 2018, is *open*.

Delegations are urged to contact the secretariat of the Special Committee if they wish to be inscribed on the list.

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 50/52 of 11 December 1995, the Special Committee is open to all States Members of the United Nations.

Delegations that have not yet submitted the names of their representatives, alternates and advisers are invited to inform the secretariat of the Sixth Committee (6thcommittee@un.org).

Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales will be accepted by e-mail.

Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples

Thursday, 22 February 2018

15:00 to 18:00 1st plenary meeting [webcast] Conference Room 1

Permanent missions are kindly requested to communicate to the secretariat of the Special Committee the names of the representative(s) who will participate in the work of the Special Committee in 2018. States not members of the Special Committee and organizations/entities with observer status in the General Assembly that wish to send observers to the 2018 session of the Special Committee should send a request (scanned note verbale) to the secretariat (Mr. Irfan Soomro, soomroi@un.org) (A/AC.109/2018/L.1 and A/AC.109/2018/L.2).

Disarmament Commission

Wednesday, 21 February 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Conference Room 1

Organizational session (A/CN.10/L.79 and A/CN.10/L.80)

Contacts: Mr. Alexander Lomaia, Secretary of the Commission (lomaia@un.org); Ms. Christa Giles, Deputy Secretary of the Commission (giles@un.org), Ms.Lidija Komatina (komatina@un.org) and Mr. Martin Vrastiak (vrastiak@un.org).

Economic and Social Council

2018 session

Friday, 16 February 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Briefing Economic and Social Council Chamber

Thursday, 22 February 2018

15:00 to 18:00 Briefing Economic and Social Council Chamber

The Vice-President of the Economic and Social Council, His Excellency Marc Pecsteen de Buytswerve (Belgium), will convene a briefing on the repositioning of the United

Nations development system, in preparation for the operational activities for development segment of the Council (*click here*).

All Member States are invited to attend.

Further information are available on the website of the Council (*click here*), or click here or *here*.

Tuesday, 20 February 2018

15:00 to 18:00 Expert-level meeting (closed) Conference Room 1

The Permanent Mission of Belgium will convene an expert-level discussion on the repositioning of the United Nations development system, in the context of the quadrennial comprehensive policy review (QCPR) of operational activities for development of the United Nations system, in preparation for the operational activities for development segment of the Council.

All Member States are invited to attend.

Further information are available on the website of the Council (*click here*), or *click here* or *here*.

Operational activities for development segment

Tuesday, 27, Wednesday, 28 February and Thursday, 1 March 2018

10:00 to 13:00 [webcast] Economic and Social Council Chamber

15:00 to 18:00 [webcast] Economic and Social Council Chamber

Operational activities of the United Nations for international development cooperation

Follow-up to policy recommendations of the General Assembly and the Council;

Reports of the Executive Boards of the United Nations Development Programme/United Nations Population Fund/United Nations Office for Project Services, the United Nations Children's Fund, the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women

South-South cooperation for development.

The Economic and Social Council will hold the operational activities for development segment (item 7 as a whole) of its 2018 agenda (E/2018/1).

The operational activities for development segment will be chaired by the Vice-President of the Council (Belgium).

Additional information on the operational activities for development segment is available on the website of the Council (*click here*).

For further details, please contact the Office for ECOSOC Support and Coordination, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (bonacito@un.org, patelk@un.org).

The general discussion of agenda item 7 as a whole will be held on 28 February 2018, from 16:30 to 18:00, and on 1 March 2018, from 11:30 to 13:00.

The time limit set for statements during the general discussion is 5 minutes for speakers on behalf of groups and 3 minutes for individual delegations.

Requests for inscription on the list of speakers should be submitted through the ECOSOC e-Speakers module in e-deleGATE (*click here*). An automated e-mail acknowledgement will be sent within one hour of receipt of the request for inscription.

Intergovernmental organizations and the United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers should send, in writing, the full name and title of the speaker to the Office of the Secretary of the Council (laabas@un.org).

For inclusion in the list of participants, the names of representatives and alternates attending the segment should be registered through the ECOSOC e-List of Participants module in e-deleGATE (*click here*).

Delegations are advised that only one list of participants will be issued at the conclusion of the 2018 session of the Council.

Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal (*click here*) should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery (papersmart2@un.org). PDF format is preferred.

The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. The statements will be posted on the PaperSmart portal after delivery.

Delegations are kindly reminded to provide 30 hard copies of the text for the technical services no later than one hour before delivery of the statement. For more information, please *click here*.

Statistical Commission
Briefing

Wednesday, 21 February 2018

13:15 to 14:30 Conference Room 11

The Statistics Division of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs will provide a briefing for permanent missions (E/CN.3/2018/1 and E/CN.3/2018/L.1).

Thursday, 22 February 2018

13:15 to 14:30 [webcast] Conference Room 11

The Statistics Division of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs will provide a briefing for civil society organizations (E/CN.3/2018/1 and E/CN.3/2018/L.1).

Tuesday, 6 March 2018

10:00 to 13:00 [webcast] . Conference Room 4

The Statistical Commission will hold its forty-ninth substantive session from Tuesday, 6 March 2018, to Friday, 9 March 2018 (E/CN.3/2018/1 and E/CN.3/2018/L.1).

The opening meeting will take place on Tuesday, 6 March 2018 at 10:30, in Conference Room 4.

The Statistics Division of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs will provide a briefing for civil society organizations.

The Statistics Division of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs will provide a briefing for permanent missions.

Representatives of States members of the Commission, who are entitled to travel expenses coverage by the United Nations, are requested to kindly complete and submit to the secretariat, as soon as possible, the forms distributed in this regard.

Delegations wishing to attend the session and to be included in the list of participants are kindly requested to communicate the composition of their delegations to the secretariat of the Commission.

Further information on the session can be obtained from the website of the Commission (*click here*), or by contacting the Statistics Division (Mr. Gerard Cianciulli (cianciulli@un.org), Ms. Li Wang (wangl@un.org), Mr. Irfan Soomro (soomroi@un.org) and Mr. Victor Leu (leu@un.org)).

Summary of official meetings

Monday, 12 February 2018

General Assembly

Seventy-second session

Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations

[archived video]

254th meeting

Opening of the session [item 1]

The Director of the Division of Policy, Evaluation and Training in the Department of Peacekeeping Operations, on behalf of the Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations, opened the 2018 substantive session of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations.

Election of officers [item 2]

The Special Committee elected, by acclamation, His Excellency Tijjani Muhammad Bande, Permanent Representative of Nigeria to the United Nations, as Chair.

The Special Committee also elected, by acclamation, Ms. Gabriela Martinic (Argentina), Mr. Michael Grant (Canada), Mr. Takeshi Akahori (Japan) and Mr. Mariusz

Lewicki (Poland) as Vice-Chairs, and Mr. Mohammad Aboulwafa (Egypt) as Rapporteur.

Address by the President of the General Assembly

The President of the seventy- second session of the General Assembly addressed the Special Committee.

Adoption of the agenda [item 3]

The Special Committee adopted its provisional agenda, as contained in document A/AC.121/2018/L.1.

Organization of work [item 4]

The Special Committee established a Working Group of the Whole to consider the substance of the mandate entrusted to the Special Committee by the General Assembly and agreed to appoint Mr. Michael Grant (Canada) as Chair of the Working Group of the Whole.

The Special Committee approved its draft programme of work, as contained in document A/AC.121/2018/L.2.

Introductory statements

The Director of the Division of Policy, Evaluation and Training in the Department of Peacekeeping Operations, made a statement on behalf of the Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations.

The Director of Field Budget and Finance Division in the Department of Field Support, made a statement on behalf of the Under-Secretary-General for Field Support.

General debate [item 5]

Statements were made by the representatives of Morocco (on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement), Indonesia (on behalf of the Association of South East Asian Nations), El Salvador (on behalf of the Community of Latin American and Caribbean States), New Zealand (also on behalf of Canada, Australia and New Zealand), the European Union (also on behalf of the candidate countries Turkey, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Serbia and Albania; the country of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidate Bosnia and Herzegovina, as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova and Georgia, which aligned themselves with the statement), Brazil, China, Colombia, Argentina, Uruguay, the Russian Federation, Egypt, India, Japan and Pakistan.

255th meeting

General debate [item 5]

Statements were made by the representatives of the Philippines, the United States, Costa Rica, Turkey, Ecuador, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Indonesia, Thailand, Myanmar, South Africa, Ukraine, Guatemala, the Syrian Arab Republic, Israel and France.

The representative of the Syrian Arab Republic made a statement in exercise of the right of reply.

Organization of work [item 4]

The Special Committee was reminded of its decision that the list of speakers would be closed at 18:00, on Monday, 12 February 2018.

Economic and Social Council
2018 session

[archived video]

8th meeting

The Vice-President (Belgium) opened the meeting.

Elections, nominations, confirmations and appointments [item 4]

Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission

The Council elected Italy, by acclamation, in accordance with Council resolution 2015/1 of 4 March 2015, for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2018, to complete the unexpired portion of the term of Sweden.

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 71/323, material published under the sections below is available in *English and French only*.

Informal meetings

The agenda of the seventy-second session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/72/251, A/72/251/Add.1, A/72/252 or A/72/252/Add.1. The meetings under this header are closed.

Tuesday, 13 February 2018

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "International Association of Permanent Representatives to the United Nations" (under agenda item 123) (convened by the Permanent Missions of Belarus and Honduras)

10:00 to 11:30 Conference Room C

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict: breaking the link between the illicit transaction of rough diamonds and armed conflict as a contribution to prevention and settlement of conflicts" (under agenda item 33) (convened by the Permanent Mission of Australia)

10:00 to 13:00 Conference Room B

15:00 to 18:00 Conference Room B

Other meetings

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Tuesday, 13 February 2018

Asia-Pacific Group (on Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration)

10:00 to 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 11

Non-Aligned Movement: Working Group on the Revitalization of the Work of the General Assembly

10:00 to 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 12

Arab Group (Third Committee experts)

15:00 to 17:00 Closed meeting Conference Room A

Group of 77 (on Fifth Committee matters)

15:00 to 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 5

Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

15:00 to 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 12

Group of 77 (on Third Committee and related matters)

15:00 to 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 6

Press conferences

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

For the complete list of press conferences, please click on the link below
www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

Forthcoming informal meetings

The agenda of the seventy-second session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/72/251, A/72/251/Add.1, A/72/252 or A/72/252/Add.1. The meetings under this header are closed.

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict: breaking the link between the illicit transaction of rough diamonds and armed conflict as a contribution to prevention and settlement of conflicts" (under agenda item 33) (convened by the Permanent Mission of Australia)

Wednesday, 14 and Thursday, 15 February 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Conference Room B

15:00 to 18:00 Conference Room B

Informal consultations on the resolution entitled "Problems arising from the accumulation of conventional ammunition stockpiles in surplus" (under agenda item 99 (u)) (convened by the Permanent Mission of Germany)

Tuesday, 20 February 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Conference Room 4

Forthcoming other meetings

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First Global Conference of the Platform for Collaboration on Tax – "Taxation and the Sustainable Development Goals" (co-organized by the International Monetary Fund (IMF), the Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD), the United Nations and the World Bank Group)

Wednesday, 14 February 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Conference Room 4

15:00 to 18:00 Conference Room 4

15:00 to 18:00 Conference Room 11

15:00 to 18:00 Conference Room 12

All are invited. For further information, please contact the Conference on the Platform for Collaboration on Tax (platformconference@worldbank.org).

Briefing on the IV Global Conference on the Sustained Eradication of Child Labour (A/RES/44/25) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Argentina and Belgium, and the International Labour Organization)

Wednesday, 14 February 2018

13:15 to 14:30 Conference Room 7

All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Jessica Pak (ILO) (pak@ilo.org).

Arab Group (at the ambassadorial level)

Wednesday, 14 February 2018

15:00 to 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 8

Sixteenth Coordination Meeting on International Migration (A/RES/58/208) (organized by the Population Division, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

Thursday, 15 February 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Trusteeship Council Chamber

15:00 to 18:00 Trusteeship Council Chamber

Friday, 16 February 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Conference Room 5

15:00 to 18:00 Conference Room 3

All are invited. For further information, please contact the Population Division (migrationp@un.org; or *click here*); for registration, *click here*.

Multilateral Negotiations: Strategies, Techniques and Results (organized by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR))

Friday, 16 February 2018

09:30 to 13:00 Conference Room A

All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Nicholas Mirabile, UNITAR New York Office (nicholas.mirabile@unitar.org; (212) 963-4611); to register *click here*.

Informal exchange on first round of formal consultations on the Global Compact on Refugees (A/RES/71/1) (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Afghanistan and the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR))

Friday, 16 February 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Conference Room 3

All are invited. For further information, please contact the UNHCR (Mr. Davide Torzilli (torzilli@unhcr.org), or Mr. Aidan Nguyen (nguyena@unhcr.org)).

Special event entitled "Workers on the Move: the Quest for Social Justice" (on the occasion of the World Day of Social Justice (A/RES/62/10) (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Kyrgyzstan and the International Labour Organization (ILO))

Tuesday, 20 February 2018

13:15 to 14:30 Conference Room 8

All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Jessica Pak (ILO) (pak@ilo.org).

Event entitled "Ending the Detention of Migrant and Refugee Children: Best Interest Determination and Alternatives to Detention" (A/RES/71/1) (co-organized by the Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See, the International Catholic Migration Commission, Caritas Internationalis, the Center for Migration Studies and the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops)

Wednesday, 21 February 2018

13:15 to 14:30 Conference Room 12

All are invited. For further information, please contact the Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See (e-mail office@holyseemission.org; 212-370-7885); to register please *click here*.

Briefing to the Member States on the theme "Maximizing Finance for Development" (A/RES/72/203) (co-organized by the World Bank Group and the Office of the President of the General Assembly)

Thursday, 22 February 2018

13:15 to 14:30 Conference Room 2

For further information, please contact Ms. Punjanit Leagnavar (pleagnavar@worldbank.org).

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Material related to informal meetings on draft proposals convened by permanent missions, other meetings and side events should be addressed to the attention of Ms. Lilian Delgado (e-mail journal@un.org; tel. 212-963-3888 and 963-0493; *Secretariat Building, 12th Floor, 01-C*). The *deadline* for submissions is 18:00, at least *two days in advance*.

The office of the Journal Unit opens at 15:00.

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